



ALEXANDRIA, VA.

TUESDAY EVENING, AUG. 23

FROM WASHINGTON.

Correspondence of Alexandria Gazette.

Chief Wagner today directed a delegation of the Washington fire force together with the Firefighters, to attend the firemen's parade Thursday afternoon, in charge of Capt. Wright.

The action of Gen. Juan Estrada, victorious leader in Nicaragua and the new president, in offering to make reparation for the murder by Zelaya of the American citizens, Groce and Cannon, is looked upon here as indicating that an amicable settlement soon will be reached and diplomatic relations with Nicaragua quickly restored.

While the United States has appeared to maintain an attitude of neutrality there has been an unofficial understanding all along that the Estrada faction was more acceptable to this country.

Estrada has always been friendly with the United States. His revolution developed from conditions under the Zelaya regime, similar to those which led to the break between this government and Zelaya. The chief feature of the capture of the diplomatic relations was the execution of the two Americans. Secretary Knox has met every suggestion of settlement with some reference to the Groce and Cannon case, which he had determined must be settled before any agreement could be reached.

The mother of Leonard Groce, who was executed by Zelaya, will receive an indemnity for the death of her son. Groce's Nicaraguan wife will be educated and his children will be educated at the expense of the Government. Daniel K. Cannon, of Harrisburg, Pa., will receive such reparation for the execution of his son, Leroy Cannon, who was slain with Groce, as the State Department asks from the new government in Nicaragua. These statements were made today by Senator Castillo, diplomatic representative here of the Estrada provisional government. He declared that the reparation for the murder of the two Americans will be among the first official acts of the new administration.

Senator Castillo received a dispatch today from Minister General Diaz, of the Estrada faction, confirming the news of the fall of Managua, which will be formally presented today by Castillo, as the diplomatic representative of the Estrada in this country, to the State Department.

Official reports received at the Forestry Bureau here today state that the total number of lives lost in forest fires in the Lolo and Coeur d'Alene reservations in Idaho is thirty-three. The situation is critical and there is grave danger of further fatalities.

Three companies of infantry were today instructed by Maj. Gen. Wood, Chief of Staff, to proceed at once to the Tahoe National Forest, California, in response to an appeal from District Forester Olmsted, to assist in fighting forest fires. This is the first appeal from California and has aroused considerable apprehension among the officials here. The dispatch was meager. No details were given regarding the extent, damage, or the loss of life, if any, caused by the fire. Assistance was only asked.

Official dispatches received at the forest service's offices here today from Associate District Forester Silcox at Missoula, Montana, state that the known dead in the Lolo and Coeur d'Alene forests number 33, with two fatally injured. Several large crews are lost and in danger of death. Silcox wired as follows: "All towns between St. Regis and Saltese burned. Windless violent today and hope to get rescue parties started. Situation also better in Missoula where fire burning ranches is under control, but other fires are burning. Fires in Gallatin and Bear Tooth forests under control." The Gallatin forest north of the Yellowstone National Park. This information alleviates the much felt apprehension concerning the safety of the park. According to the dispatch Troy forest is in grave danger and the entire Fisher river watershed is a fire. One hundred fire-fighters have abandoned work on the Bear Tooth and supplies to escape with their lives. Sylvanite and the Yakt watersheds are also reported to be a fire for miles. Supervisor Skeels has abandoned Upper Fisher, Yakt and Pipe Creek, but it is thought that the crews can get out safely. Nothing, however, is known, says the dispatch concerning the situation in the Flathead and Blackfoot reservations. The forest service today received a telegram from Acting Governor Jay L. Bowman, of Oregon, offering the assistance of the state militia in cooperating with the regulars and the service firefighters.

John W. Stephens attempted suicide in a cell in the Seventh precinct this morning by hanging from the ceiling by a lead belt. He was discovered before he had accomplished his purpose.

The First Manifesto.

Washington, Aug. 23.—The first manifesto issued to the people of Nicaragua by the new government was transmitted to the State Department this afternoon by Consul Olivares, of Managua. It was issued by Jose Dolores Estrada, brother of General Estrada, at 11 p. m., August 20 and is translated as follows: "To the Nicaraguan, Fellow countrymen: Called to the exercise of the presidency in accordance with the provisions of our constitution, I have taken charge of the provisional command of the republic, in times of difficulty and sorrow for the mother country. I am doing it with the aid of my power, in restoring peace so as to bring at once to an end the shedding of blood and thus open an era of reconciliation which may stop the misfortunes that are now rending the national honor. My object then is exclusively to guarantee order to society, while I turn over to the revolution the revolutionary and I have already taken appropriate steps. I therefore hope, in my disinterested and loyal efforts, that I may receive the cooperation of the good sons of Nicaragua and I entreat them to lend me their support as the only sure means of satisfactorily discharging the sacred duties which to my mind patriotism imposes upon me. JOSE D. ESTRADA."

Dysentery is a dangerous disease but can be cured. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has been successfully used in nine epidemics of dysentery. It has never been known to fail. It is equally valuable for children and adults, and when reduced with water and sweetened, it is pleasant to take. Sold by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

General Chamorro in Charge.

Managua, Aug. 23.—The government today is in the hands of General Chamorro, who with General Mena, is preparing for a grand reception to be given tomorrow on the occasion of the triumphant entry of General Juan Estrada.

There is still some rioting and the Estrada soldiers have been placed on guard at all parts of the city where any violence may be expected. Especial care has been taken to guard the American consulate against any attack. The hatred of the Madriz followers for the United States, it is feared, might lead to some attempt at depredation.

General Estrada will be greeted as the leader of the successful revolution and immediately declared president of the provisional government when he arrives.

His entry to the city is expected to present one of the most remarkable scenes ever witnessed in this country. The people welcome the new regime and already are planning for a season of peace and prosperity, which is so bitterly needed. A large percentage of the population of the city had been in sympathy with Estrada for months. All political prisoners have been set free; the people see the end of the period of unbearable taxation and on all sides most of the citizens welcome the new regime with rejoicing.

Searching for Highwaymen.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Aug. 23.—A posse, numbering about 200 citizens, state constabulary, city police, deputy sheriffs and detectives of the Wilkes-Barre Railway Company, is scouring the hills today for two highwaymen who held up and robbed two street car crews and passengers about midnight.

The night car, on its way to Parsons, was stopped by two masked men. Thomas Williams threw up his hands and a gold watch was taken. Then the men robbed Conductor John Elliott of his watch and \$19. Joseph Tredaway, the only passenger, was covered, and \$50 and a gold watch taken from him.

Half an hour later, the miners' mills car was held up. The masked men succeeded in taking Motorman Vandervliet's watch, but when they confronted Conductor Thomas H. Kechner, the latter said:

"Not if I die first," and hurled a switch iron at the head of the nearest highwayman. The bandit's pal fired at the conductor, but the bullet missed. Vandervliet started the car ahead at full speed, leaving the hold-up men behind sending a fusillade of shots after the car.

The Futurity Races.

New York, Aug. 23.—Although professional bookmaking will be prohibited at the Grand Circuit meeting which opens this afternoon at the Empire city race track at Yonkers, a number of private wagers have been made on the \$15,000 futurity, the steeple chase of the days card. The race gives promise of proving one of the greatest races on record. The choice is regarded as even between Colorado and Belle. The former has trotted a mile in 2:06 1/4. Native Belle holds the world's record for two year olds, 2:07 3/4, and is credited with ability to trot in as good as 2:05. Several others have a mark of 2:08.

Mayor Gaynor Recovering.

Hoboken, N. J., Aug. 23.—The progress of Mayor Gaynor toward complete recovery is such that it has been decided to retain only a single surgeon to take call. Although it is now believed that it will not be necessary to operate to remove the bullet that is lodged in the throat, this surgeon will stay at the hospital for a few days longer. The mayor is now permitted to eat whatever he desires and to have the newspapers and his favorite books.

More Trouble Expected.

Scranton, Pa., Aug. 23.—A big squad of the state constabulary is on duty today at the plant of the Pennsylvania Coal Company at Old Forge. Further trouble is looked for there, as the striking miners are angered at what they assert was a deliberate attempt to prevent them peacefully assembling for their regular meeting last night. In the riot that followed two miners were shot and men, women and children were knocked down and trampled. Half a dozen of the alleged ringleaders were arrested.

Sixty Thousand Dollar Race Horse.

New York, Aug. 23.—Sixty thousand dollars sounds like an enormous figure for a race horse. But that's the sum Sam Hildreth gathered in when he sold three year old, Dalmatian to Louis Winans, the former Baltimorean, who lives abroad and maintains a big racing stable in England. Hildreth paid \$400 for Dalmatian at a sale of Perry Belmont's yearlings two years ago and the colt has won \$20,000 in purses for him. Dalmatian will be shipped to England within a few days.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Aug. 23.—The stock market was again under pressure this morning with many of the important issues offered at substantial fractional concessions. In the late forenoon the early losses had not only been recovered, but the market leaders showed good gains.

Thousands to Greet Roosevelt.

Utica, N. Y., Aug. 23.—It is estimated that 25,000 persons will greet Theodore Roosevelt late this afternoon at Summit Park, eight miles west of this city, where he is scheduled to address a joint picnic of the Herkimer County Grange and the Grand Army Veterans of Oneida county.

After his address he will hold a reception and then go by automobile to Henderson House, in Herkimer county, the estate of his brother-in-law, Douglas Robinson, where he will remain until tomorrow evening when the trip westward will be resumed.

Death of a Convict.

Baltimore, April, 23.—John Joseph Janier, the wealthy Brooklyn, N. Y., man, who a little more than a year ago, abducted to Baltimore a little eleven-year-old child, of that city, and who was convicted on a serious charge and sentenced to the Maryland penitentiary for 21 years, died in that institution today of tuberculosis.

Roosevelt to Fight.

New York, Aug. 23.—Just before his special car pulled out for the west today, former President Roosevelt held a hasty conference with Lloyd Griscom, chairman of the New York county committee; Collector William Loebe, and his son-in-law, Nicholas Longworth, and for the first time publicly announced his intention of going to the republican state convention to fight.

"I am very much pleased with Mr. Taft's statement," he said as he emerged from the car. "I think it makes the situation perfectly good. If Nassau county wishes me to go to the state convention, I shall go, as I regard the issue as now absolutely clear-out. As far as I am concerned there will be not a particle of compromise."

Discussing his conference with Roosevelt, Griscom positively asserted that the Roosevelt forces will be in control when the state convention meets. "After Mr. Roosevelt learned the truth about what was done by the organization republicans, he did just what he should have done—repudiated them. There was nothing else left for him to do. He is now stronger before the American people than ever before especially since the commencement of the present administration," said Griscom. Collector Loebe and Congressman Longworth had nothing to say.

Bull Goes Bank Clerk.

Waukesha, Wis., Aug. 23.—While driving home the cows on the dairy farm of Herman Kneisel, near here, Maurice Blackman, a bank employee of Philadelphia, was attacked and gored by a vicious bull, and so severely injured that he may die. No one saw the animal attack Blackman, who was spending his vacation here, working like a farm hand to build up his health.

About half an hour after he left the house, he returned home staggering and crawling, and just as he reached the house dropped unconscious. Dr. H. T. Barnes, of the village of Pewaukee, was called, and after an examination found Blackman's body a mass of cuts and bruises and broken bones, every rib on one side being broken.

His face was so bruised and knocked out of shape that it was unrecognizable, and he was internally injured.

Can't Keep Bones Whole.

Allentown, Pa., Aug. 23.—For the third time since the Fourth of July, former District Attorney Edwin J. Lichtenwalner is laid up with broken bones. On Independence day, a practical joker blew up Lichtenwalner's chair with a cannon cracker, and the occupant suffered several fractured ribs. These had hardly knitted when they were refractured while he was endeavoring to handle his fast gray pacer in a road race.

On Saturday night Lichtenwalner made a misstep in front of Bethany Church, and his left leg was broken below the knee. Several doctors are attending him. His surgeon-in-chief is Dr. Leon Brinkman, of St. Agnes' Hospital, Philadelphia.

Lichtenwalner gained fame as prosecutor in the Mabel Bechtel murder case, and also as the attorney who drew the insanity brief in the Harry Thaw case.

Look Year to Drop Dead.

Pittsburg, Aug. 23.—Otis H. Childs, the millionaire business man and club member of Pittsburg, died yesterday very suddenly at Cleveland, where he had gone some time ago for medical treatment. Word from Cleveland was that he had become apparently well and was thinking of returning to Pittsburg within a few days. Apoplexy was the cause of the death. One year since Childs, while summering in Canada, had some trouble with his heart, which frightened him so that he came home hurriedly and placed his business in order. Friends say he lived in constant fear of dropping dead. He was president of the United Engineering and Foundry Company and was a member of the Pittsburg Golf Club, the Pittsburg Athletic Association, the Duquesne Club and the Pittsburg Club. He was a widower, 53 years old.

Another Steel Byproduct.

Pittsburg, Aug. 23.—The United States Steel Corporation has discovered another by-product in the steel making industry that will save hundreds of thousands of dollars a year. Vast quantities of ore dust for which no use has heretofore been found are to be utilized through a discovery by the engineering department of the Carnegie Steel Company. The ore dust is to be made into bricks and utilized in making pig iron. It is said the saving will be as much as a reduction in the cost of pig iron. The dust will be held together by lime, which also acts as a flux in the smelting. Along the terminal railroads of the Carnegie Steel Company two hundred thousand tons of ore dust are piled, which, with ore at \$4 a ton, would represent a saving of hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Odell Attacks Roosevelt.

Paris, Aug. 23.—Characterizing Col. Theodore Roosevelt as "violent and uncouth," and a man whose popularity is on the wane, ex-Gov. Benjamin B. Odell, jr., of New York, in an interview today in Gil Blas, makes a vigorous attack on the ex-president.

"Not only is Roosevelt violent and uncouth, and possessed of Rough Rider mannerisms," Odell says, "but he is the bitter enemy of trusts and of the American protective tariff policy. He would tear both of these down if he could. President Taft, on the other hand, is a prudent defender of both the trusts and the tariff and is thus offering security to men of affairs in America."

"Taft is a sure winner in the next election. All talk of Roosevelt supplanting Taft is foolish. Taft is growing in popularity steadily, while Roosevelt is losing his popularity."

Odell is in Europe for his health. He has long been a political enemy of Roosevelt, though today he waxed a little warmer than heretofore.

The Forest Fires.

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 23.—With the known dead placed at sixty, at least 200 seriously injured and as many more missing, progress against the forest fires raging throughout eastern Washington, Idaho and western Montana was reported by the forest rangers and United States troops today.

A summary of the situation given out today by one of the government foresters showed that St. Regis, which was a slight chance of being saved; that Mullan, Salter and Henderson, all of which were in imminent danger were, are now considered out of imminent danger. Besides Wallace and Taft, the towns of Bryson, De Borgia and Haughan have been wiped out.

Although the situation is far from relieved, the progress made at St. Regis, Mullan and Salter, which are said to be doomed, has encouraged the fire fighters and they now hold out hopes of being able to hold the flames in check until a rain comes that will be sufficiently heavy to extinguish the fires.

A company of negro soldiers which arrived at Boras Saturday from Camp Shasta, Wyo., and immediately plunged into the fire zone, has not since been heard from.

Although the situation is improved, a number of places are imperilled. These include mining camps throughout the Idaho pan-handle and small lake resorts in eastern Washington.

The fear is expressed that the fire fighters will not be able to control the flames in the pan-handle and that this section is doomed, unless a heavy rain comes soon.

The wind is dying down at all points, according to reports today. Conditions are still more or less chaotic throughout the fire zone, and it is still almost impossible to get accurate details of the loss of life or property damage. The flames which have been sweeping the Camas Valley for two days are also reported checked, after doing immense damage.

Officers commanding the soldiers are today receiving reports of looting at Wallace and other large towns. The troops have been ordered to kill on sight any person caught attempting to rifle residences. The known dead are: At Wallace 32; in the Oregon Gulch, 6; near Salter, 9; on Cedar Creek, 5; at the Bullion mine 8.

Wallace, Idaho, Aug. 23.—The appalling statement was made today by Supervisor Weigle, that he believed that hundreds of the government fire fighters in the Coeur d'Alene have perished. Weigle declares that half of his force of 600 is missing, and that he fears hopes of rescuing them alive will have to be abandoned.

The Georgia Primaries.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 23.—The ancient rivals Herb Smith and Governor Joseph M. Brown are today contesting in primaries for the second time in two years for the democratic nomination for governor, the nomination being equivalent to election. The big issue is personality and it is expected that the result will be close. The feeling between the two factions is very bitter and the campaign has been marked by spectacular street fights.

The fact that Brown was removed as railroad commissioner by Smith, who charged him with favoring the corporations, and that he then turned to and beat Smith in the primaries of two years ago caused personal enmity between the men.

Smith on the stump has accused Brown of being backed by the corporations and he has alleged that they raised an enormous "slush fund" to defeat him (Smith), and his friends.

The fact that Georgia democratic congressman assisted Speaker Cannon in retaining his control of the House of Representatives has entered into the primary contests for the congressional nominations. In the Atlanta district, which has been represented in the last ten congresses by Leonidas F. Livingston, the wisecracker predict an overtone. They claim that William S. Howard, the 35 year old "progressive democrat" who has made a most spectacular campaign for the place, will defeat the old war horse.

Congressman Arrested.

Franklin, Pa., Aug. 23.—Charged with "conspiracy to defraud voters," in having disbursed \$42,000 to carry the recent republican congressional primary, former Congressman Joseph Sibley was secretly arrested last night. He was later released on his own recognizance.

The arrest, following so quickly on Sibley's announcement that he could not make the race for Congress because of his "weak heart," and the statement that he was in priority pending were to be investigated, has caused a sensation in this district. Not only Sibley, but his campaign managers and confidential representatives are involved in the criminal charges.

Sibley will appear before Justice of the Peace H. F. Perry at Warren, Pa., Friday.

The information against Sibley was made by Constable Walter Paige, of Warren, Pa. Paige obtained the warrant and served it on Sibley last night at Sibley's home here. In the information Frank H. Taylor, secretary to Sibley, is named as co-defendant.

The investigation of Sibley's primary expense account was instigated by his democratic opponent, William J. Breene, in the primaries. The account is scheduled to come up for audit Monday next, and Sibley's enemies charge that his withdrawal was made in the hope that the probe of his enormous expenditures would be discontinued.

Sibley is 60 years old, and has had a turbulent political career; he was elected as a democrat. Later he turned republican. Still later he was elected to Congress on the democratic ticket. He was a free silverite and took a prominent part in the campaign in Bryan's behalf in 1896. His political activities have been somewhat obscure since his connection with the Standard Oil interests was exploited during the 1908 campaign.

Half a million dollars' damage was caused in a few minutes by a storm which broke on the city early today in Chicago. Many houses were struck by lightning and damaged. A number of persons were shocked.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

Messrs. Melville & Duvall, owners of the Washington Wooden Mills, at Fredericksburg which were destroyed by fire a few nights ago, have leased a mill in Chambersburg, Pa., for one year, to fill the orders they had on hand at the time of the fire.

Col. James S. Browning, who has been frequently mentioned as a republican candidate for Congress to oppose Carter Glass, democratic candidate in the Sixth Congressional district, stated yesterday that he would not accept the nomination, although delegates from Roanoke City and other points have been instructed for him.

A girl named Della Page, 14 years old, created a scene in Washington yesterday, when her father Charles C. Page, a farmer of Loudoun county, attempted to take her home. She had been cared for by her aunt, Mrs. Anna M. Shipman, of 1007 K street southwest, for several months, and had refused to go back home, her mother having died about four years ago.

SUICIDE IN RICHMOND.

Standing in the presence of J. S. Bixby, his shipping clerk, and James E. Lewis, colored, assistant, James A. Couch, manager of the shipping department of the J. A. McDonough liquor establishment in Richmond, shot himself through the heart at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning. Appealing to the employees to tell him if his treatment of them had not always been fair and good, Couch fired the 44-calibre revolver, the ball passing completely through his body.

The cause of the suicide is unknown. A letter stamped and addressed to his wife, who, with their four children, is at Independence, Grayson county, was found on his office desk, having been hastily addressed in pencil before Couch went upstairs, and shot himself.

WOMEN LEAD ASSAULT.

Frenzied women led in the assault on men who persisted in going to work yesterday morning at the Old Forge colliery of the Pennsylvania Coal Company, near Scranton, Pa., where a strike is in progress. Which the line of men who have continued at work near the breaker the women pushed themselves to the fore and saluted the workmen with a shower of sticks, stones and handfuls of mud that had scraped from the street. One at one struck a Polish miner on the nose and ruined the contour of that organ, covering his face with blood. Deputy Sheriff Scanlon and Connor had been sent to the vicinity by the peace officers of the county and they rushed to the rescue of the workmen, who did not appear to know how to defend themselves from the attacks of the women. With great difficulty order was restored.

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT.

Dr. L. H. Taylor, of the Cecil apartment house, Washington, one of the most prominent surgeons in that city, narrowly escaped death last night, when the automobile in which he was speeding through the Capitol grounds to Providence Hospital to visit a patient crashed into a tree by the roadside and turned turtle. Dr. Taylor was pinned beneath the wreckage, from which he was carried unconscious to George Washington Hospital, where he lies in a critical condition. His left shoulder was crushed and the blade was broken, and it is feared he is injured internally. At a late hour last night he was under an anesthetic, after the broken shoulder had been set. An X-ray examination will be made today to determine the full extent of his injuries.

ALL WOMEN LIARS.

Lady Cook—Tenny Chaffin of other days—came on the steamer Finland from Europe to New York yesterday, saying that it was her purpose to lecture in the United States. In talking about woman's suffrage, of which she is one of the strongest advocates, she said:

"Women would probably not use the ballot if they had it, but would like to have it on the statute books to make us the equal of men."

In the course of a general talk with her she was asked if she thought all women were liars.

"To some extent they are," she replied. "They lie to their children."

CATCHES MASHER WITH HATPIN.

"I drew my hatpin," explained Josephine Frederick, a ticket-seller at Fort George Park, to Magistrate Herrman in Yorkville, N. Y., Police Court yesterday, "and held him until a policeman came." The "him" was James Clancy, a stationary engineer, arrested on Miss Frederick's complaint of assault.

The girl, after a hard 12 hours' work, was on her way downtown early yesterday on a 3d avenue car, when she fell asleep. She charged that Clancy caught hold of her right foot and tried to hit the ceiling of the car with it.

When none of the men in the car would help her, she drew the hatpin and gave chase. Catching him, she held him at bay with the pin till a policeman arrived. Clancy was fined \$10.

Will Not Resign.

Panama, Aug. 23.—Under the influence of his secretary, M. Morales, a rabid anti-American, acting president Mendosa, a negro, has reconsidered his resignation and today announced that he would retain his post. It is freely predicted today that American marines will have to be landed to insure a peaceful outcome of the national assembly's election of a president on September 1.

The prevalent belief in Panama is that the United States will not countenance the selection of Mendosa by the National Assembly, on the ground that it would be in violation of the Panama constitution, which prohibits the re-election of a president who has served six months prior to the election.

Three Persons Killed.

Hagerstown, Md., Aug. 26.—Three persons were killed and six injured in a head-on collision between two passenger Maryland steam freight trains yesterday between Hagerstown and Edgewater, on the main line of the Western Maryland. Several persons were injured by the accident.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Fire today completely destroyed the West Bear Ridge Colliery at Mahanoy City, Pa., owned by the Reading Company and employing 500 men.

The six Americans arrested in the Isle of Pines, Cuba, charged with threatening homicide and arson were liberated.

Senator William Warner, of Missouri, announces that he will not be a candidate for re-election.

Former Governor Yates, of Illinois, stated at Toledo, Ohio, yesterday, that Speaker Cannon is sure of re-election and that his majority will be as high as 10,000.

F. Augustus Heinze, the copper king, announced in New York, his engagement to Bernice Golden Henderson, an actress. The wedding will take place next month.

It was stated at the American legation at Panama that the United States government would consider unconstitutional the election of Senor Mendosa as president of Panama.

The laboratory of the proving grounds of the Krupps works, in Essen, Germany, was blown up by an explosion, yesterday, the building being destroyed by fire.

Charles Kemble Oliver, vice-president of the Consolidated Cotton Duck Company, of Baltimore, died suddenly yesterday on board the German-American steamer Grosser Kurfurst. The information of the death was a wireless message to the New York office of the company.

According to reports from masters of arriving West India fruiters in Baltimore there is a prolific crop of bananas on the island of Jamaica, which gives assurance that there will be no dearth of that fruit for some time to come.

Jesse Edwards shot and instantly killed his brother, Peter, at their home near Wadesboro, Anson county, N. C., Sunday night, in the presence of their aged mother, the tragedy being the result of alleged bad feeling between the young men for some time past. Peter had just returned from church, when Jesse emerged from the house to the porch, where his mother and Peter were sitting. Jesse carried a revolver. Pushing his mother aside, he fired into Peter three times, killing him instantly. The murderer was still at large at last accounts.

A Cincinnati restaurant keeper, whose name was either Bert Belz or Bert Volz, and who was known to at least two persons in New York as "Bert Vanderbilt," fell three stories to the ground in that city just before two o'clock yesterday morning in the rear of the house at 261 West Forty-second street. He had been clinging to a window shutter, and it is uncertain whether he lost his grip or was pushed off. A girl named Edith Jmen told the police that Vanderbilt was trying to enter her room on the third floor by stepping over from another window to the window ledge of her room, and that he fell into the yard.

CAN'T WRITE LOVE LETTERS.

The bright Swiss sun shone resplendent on a pretty nook on the shores of Lake Geneva four years ago. A man and woman, sweethearts, stood watching a party of Swiss man-o-war, warring through their paces in a rowboat drill. The man was so fired with patriotism that he was moved to ask the girl for her hand. She gave him a look of her golden hair.

Time went by. The man, Paul Becker, and the girl parted. Becker came to New York and went to work for a baker in The Bronx. The girl also came over and later married John Hageneder. They went to live at No. 481 East 169th street.

While on walking recently Paul met the girl of his heart by accident, and found that the store in which he worked was not far from where she lived. She told him that she was married, but Paul, she says, wrote her fiery love letters, in each of which he sent a strand of her hair. She and her husband finally had him haled to the Morrisania police court. Becker went before Magistrate Barlow there yesterday. He was warned by the judge that he must stop writing to Mrs. Hageneder. He promised and was discharged.

PIER RAID UP IN COURT.

The scene of the gambling crusade waged by Constable John G. Cross was transferred yesterday from Narragansett Pier to the Second District Court at Wakefield. Judge Nathan A. Lewis, presided and the little court room was filled with a motley throng, including many interested spectators from Narragansett.

"Doc" William E. Arnold, who is said to be vice president of the Narragansett Club, was arraigned on two charges for maintaining a gambling place and maintaining a gambling nuisance. On the first charge the defendant's attorneys were given until Thursday to file a brief. On the second charge a tentative plea of not guilty was entered and the case was continued two weeks.

Chief of Police Caswell, of Narragansett, who was arrested Saturday, also appeared before Judge Lewis and pleaded not guilty to the charge of malfeasance in office. His case was continued until September 5. The two cases against George L. Cutting, the young Harvard student who assisted Cross in his raid, were continued three weeks.

None of the society people who were alleged to have been trapped in the Narragansett Club when it was raided by Reformer Cross appeared in court yesterday.

In buying a cough medicine, don't be afraid to get Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. There is no danger from it, and relief is sure to follow. Especially recommended for coughs, colds and whooping cough. Sold by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

Sovereign Grand Lodge of Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Atlanta, Ga., September 19th-24th, 1910.

Greatly reduced round trip fares via Southern Railway from Washington, D. C., and principal Virginia points to Atlanta, Ga., and return account above occasion. Dates of September 16, 17, 18, and 19. For trains scheduled to arrive Atlanta before noon of September 19, 1910; limit limit September 19, 1910. Return Rock bridge to October 15, 1910, by payment of \$1.00 per ticket before September 25th. Consultants or write L. S. Brown, General Agent, 705 Fifteenth Street, northwest, Washington, D. C., for full particulars.

AUCTION SALE.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN ALEXANDRIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA. By virtue of a deed of trust dated